

STATISTICS FROM THE CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE (5-YEAR CYCLE)

FARMS	2002	1997	1992	1987
NUMBER	1,513	1,643	1,427	1,586
ACREAGE	314,317	330,804	379,044	412,225
AVERAGE SIZE (ACRES)	208	201	266	260
MEDIAN SIZE (ACRES)	20	20	N	N
AVERAGE ESTIMATED MARKET VALUE PER FARM (\$)				
LAND & BUILDINGS	995,091	718,329	744,672	519,743
MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT	73,699	52,098	45,506	42,327
CROPLAND (ACRES)				
TOTAL	161,033	159,059	184,522	185,629
HARVESTED	123,999	120,220	135,170	115,478
IRRIGATED	124,931	122,550	132,860	116,925
MARKET VALUE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD				
COUNTY TOTAL VALUE (\$1,000)	239,266	224,736	209,606	195,510
AVERAGE PER FARM (\$)	158,140	136,784	146,885	123,272
NET CASH SALES RETURN PER FARM				
AVERAGE (\$)	16,061	31,703	22,422	22,386
LIVESTOCK (INVENTORY)				
CATTLE & CALVES	67,536	69,362	93,011	111,565
BEEF COWS	16,392	17,457	23,078	22,075
MILK COWS	18,337	18,762	18,383	21,919
HOGS & PIGS	1,939	1,575	2,954	1,987
SHEEP & LAMBS	4,769	4,239	5,674	10,148
LAYERS (20 WEEKS OR OLDER)	2,576	1,944	36,801	68,243
BROILER & CHICKEN (SOLD)	3,215,426	D	1,178,593	620,246
COMMODITY HARVESTED (ACRES)				
CORN, GRAIN OR SEED	29,509	N	N	N
CORN, SILAGE OR GREENCHOP	5,038	N	N	N
SORGHUM, GRAIN OR SEED	2,318	N	N	N
WHEAT	9,098	8,437	23,840	18,426
BARLEY	548	1,677	1,702	607
OATS	618	N	N	N
RICE	7,185	8,069	9,324	9,670
SUNFLOWER SEED	110	N	N	N
COTTON	0	0	0	0
TOBACCO	N	N	N	N
SOYBEANS	N	N	N	N
DRY EDIBLE BEANS, EXCL. LIMAS	381	N	N	N
POTATOES EXCL. SWEET POTATOES	N	N	N	N
SUGARBEETS FOR SUGAR	N	N	N	N
SUGARCANE FOR SUGAR	N	N	N	N
PEANUTS FOR NUTS	N	N	N	N
FORAGE LAND (ALFALFA, HAY,) 1/	27,901	24,695	29,295	29,454

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	2002	1997	1992	1987
VEGETABLES FOR SALE				
NUMBER OF FARMS	70	126	67	74
ACREAGE	7,490	9,097	6,250	6,272
ORCHARDS				
NUMBER OF FARMS	N/A	230	251	226
ACREAGE	26,060	17,851	15,796	9,975
PRIMARY OPERATOR'S OCCUPATION (NUMBER)				
FARMING	884	663	687	687
NON-FARMING	629	398	532	673
GOVERNMENT PAYMENT PROGRAM PARTICIPATION				
NUMBER OF FARMS	155	N/A	N/A	N/A
PERCENT OF TOTAL	10.24%	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOTAL PAYMENTS RECEIVED (\$1,000)	3,334	2,823	N/A	N/A
AVERAGE PAYMENT RECEIVED PER FARM (\$)	21,507	15,857	N/A	N/A

1/ AREA COUNTED ONLY ONCE (ALL HAY, ALFALFA, SMALL GRAIN, GRASS SILAGE, GREENCHOP).

N - REPRESENTS ZERO.

0 - REPRESENTS AN INSIGNIFICANT AMOUNT.

D - WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSING DATA FOR INDIVIDUAL FARMS.

Z - LESS THAN HALF OF THE UNIT SHOWN

SOURCE: USDA, NASS, 2002 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE.